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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:

Luis Ortiz Cerda

Examiner: Kenneth E. Peterson

Serial No.: 10/686,665

Group Art Unit: 3724

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Title: A DEVICE FOR THE MAINTENANCE OF SEMI-AUTOGENOUS GRINDING  
MILLS USED IN LARGE-SCALED MINING

**RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT**

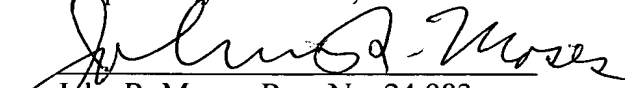
Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

In response to the Restriction Requirement dated May 6, 2004, Applicant hereby elects with traverse group 1, claims 2-6, 17 and 18 drawn to a nut cutter having a sealed push position, a sharp angle finish cutting edge and an aligned fixed cutter.

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any fees associated with this response or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 13-3402.

Respectfully submitted,

  
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